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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Technical Services & Support Group, NPIC

SUBJECT : Current Agency Experience with [REDACTED]

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1. It is our understanding that [REDACTED] has some reservations with regard to [REDACTED] qualifications and overall performance. In order to allay these fears, we have talked to a number of components in order to establish a work history.

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a. NPIC - [REDACTED] The probable investigator to this contract will be [REDACTED] has been a valuable consultant to us in the area of photo interpreter training. He is a recognized expert. We have the utmost faith in his capabilities.

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b. ORD - [REDACTED] was contacted with regard to their performance on ORD contracts. There are three contracts currently in settlement and three active. These contracts range over [REDACTED] The contracts cover feasibility studies fabrication, and analysis of chemicals. Their reports have been "ok" and performance "quite satisfactory."

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c. TED - [REDACTED] Seven active contracts totaling [REDACTED] one work order and six covering deliverable work. They have been good in mechanical engineering and their performance has ranged from average to very good. They have been somewhat slow in sending in their reports.

d. OEL - [REDACTED] OEL has two contracts and stated that [REDACTED] technical people are very cooperative and highly qualified; they accept changes and redirection readily and have maintained good control on cost. They commented that the data base made available through their AF affiliate is helpful in [REDACTED] coming up with desired results. They did have one negative comment that the reassignment of some personnel had delayed OEL's effort.

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2. From the above information it should be readily apparent that the Agency deals extensively with [REDACTED] and that in most cases their performance has been quite satisfactory.

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